

## THE RULER OF RUSSIA DEAD.

Alexander III. Surrenders at Last to the Grim Monster at Livadia.

## SKETCH OF HIS MOST EVENTFUL LIFE.

Made Czar by the Nihilist's Bomb—A Haunting Dream of Assassination Had Always Bred Him.

LIVADIA, Nov. 1.—The Czar died at 2:15 o'clock this afternoon. At noon the action of his Majesty's heart began to feeble rapidly. About 120 unconsciousness supervened, and the action of the heart failed. The pulse was scarcely perceptible, until its pulsations ceased altogether.

THE Czar's LAST HOURS.

YALTA, Nov. 1.—The Czar was told tonight that he could live only a few days more. He listened to the news calmly, waiting the end with his consciousness broken only occasionally with short periods of coma. Yesterday morning he looked for the last time from the windows of the palace. He was long and silent, then he said it was pleasant to feel that he could pass his last hours on the earth. Last night he had no sleep. He was racked constantly by violent coughing and hemorrhage. His heart grew so weak that it often seemed to have stopped beating.

CONSCIOUS TO THE LAST.

These distressing symptoms became accentuated at 10 o'clock this morning, but shortly afterward he rallied slightly. He was given to be given him in the presence of the family, and he received the viaticum with great calmness. At 12:30 he appeared to be free from pain—even his breathing ceased. He was then conscious almost to the last moment. At 2:15 his eyes closed slowly, and he ceased breathing.

DESCRIPTION OF THE REMAINS.

The body will be embalmed in Livadia tonight and will be exposed in the palace chapel for a day or two. Several State officials will be present at the funeral. The body will be conveyed aboard the Imperial yacht, the Black Sea fleet, which has orders to assemble at once off Yalta. From there it will be taken to St. Petersburg, and will be placed in the Cathedral of St. Peter and St. Paul. It is believed that the body will be held in Livadia for about two weeks.

IT IS understood that Czar Nicholas III. will be proclaimed Czar in St. Petersburg. The coronation is expected to begin on Saturday.

THE Czar's FAMILY FAREWELL.

LONDON, Nov. 1.—The Daily News correspondent in St. Petersburg has obtained the most trustworthy and interesting information about the Czar's death. He was fully conscious when he died. He was fully conscious when he died. He was fully conscious when he died.

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needed to a carriage, were phenomena which need not the hypothesis of cowardice to explain them.

To a like cause may be referred those sudden fits of blind fury, to which he was occasionally subject, and which were a natural consequence of a shaken nervous system. It was an attack of this kind that led to the story, which went the rounds of Europe, that he had killed one of his aides-de-camp. It was at this time that great Nihilist excitement, and plots and attempts against the Emperor's life, were in the air.

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## Sorrow in France.

Heartfelt Mourning Throughout Paris—The Official Action.

PARIS, Nov. 1.—The President sent the Czar a personal message of condolence. Mr. Hanotaux, French Minister of Foreign Affairs, sent to M. de Giers, Russian Foreign Minister, a dispatch expressing the sympathy of the Government of the departments the order that their flags be draped in mourning and raised at half mast.

This evening there is but the one absorbing topic on the boulevards and in the cafes, clubs and theatres. If the President of the Republic were dead, the expressions of regret could not be more general. The probable effect of the Czar's death on the situation in general is discussed by every group in the streets or cafes. The views are almost without exception, that Nicholas will adopt his father's policy.

The Czar's death will be announced officially to the conduct in the Chamber. Doubtless an address of condolence will be drawn up and passed by the Chamber. The Ministers will meet to-morrow to name delegates to the funeral of the Czar.

A requiem mass will be said in the Russian church to-morrow. An official dispatch evolved by the Russian Embassy this evening says that the Czar died at 2:15. Press dispatches from St. Petersburg speak of the deep mourning throughout the city and the churches. St. Isaac's cathedral was draped before 10 o'clock.

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## WHY CLEVELAND IS SILENT.

He Might Have Written a Letter if He Had Been Properly Approached.

Some Interesting Tips on the New York Situation—Hill's Chances are Good.

Other Washington News.

Times Bureau, Railway Building, Washington, November 1, 1894.

There was a great meeting yesterday at Page's restaurant between Senator Faulkner and Congressman Joseph W. Babcock, the respective chairmen of the Democratic and Republican National Congressional Committees. Both gentlemen are of the most genial temperaments, and the meeting was a most pleasant one.

By chance they met at Page's, and, after a cordial greeting, they sat down to talk over the situation. The conversation was most interesting, and the two gentlemen expressed their mutual respect for each other's views.

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## ANOTHER TRAIN HELD UP.

An Express Car Looted at New Albany, Miss.

ALBANY, MISS.

A Similar Procedure on the Part of the Robbers to Those at Aquila—Usual Express Official's Denial.

BIRMINGHAM, ALA., Nov. 1.—As passenger train No. 3, the Kansas City, Memphis and Birmingham railway pulled out of the station at New Albany, Miss., at 1 o'clock this morning, three masked men jumped on the engine, and entering the cab, covered Engineer Campbell and the conductor, W. H. Leonard, with pistols. The conductor was compelled to descend from the locomotive, and under cover of the darkness, the robbers entered the express car and ordered to break open the door of the car with a coal pick.

The train crew were alarmed at the stopping of the train at this unusual place, and the conductor, W. H. Leonard, went forward to investigate. When he showed up at the express car door the robbers fired a shot, and he was thrown back to the coaches. Then the robbers fired a volley in the air to intimidate the rest of the crew. The conductor, W. H. Leonard, was finally effected into the express car, and Messenger Gienette was covered with pistols and forced to hand over the contents of the express car. The robbers then backed out of the car and jumped from the platform, still holding their pistols and toward the messenger and engine.

The robbers are believed to be farmers living in the vicinity of the hold-up. The express officials say that the packages secured by the robbers contained only railroad way bills and cheap jewelry, and that they got no money. All that the robbers secured was a five-dollar package of jewelry. The express company will, however, make an effort to catch the bandits.

TRAMPS HELD UP AND ROBBED. They Were Occupying a Box Car, But the Bandits Secured \$400.

CLINTON, IOWA, Nov. 1.—Something new in the history of a hold-up took place at East Clinton last night. Sixteen men, some of them tramps and others who had been in the habit of traveling in the box cars, were held up. They were in a box car. There was a rap for admission, and the tramps answered. The robbers entered the car and commanded the occupants to throw up their hands. They then ordered them to stand in line, and while the tramps were standing in line, the robbers went through the outfit. They secured \$400 in cash and two watches.

A SKEET CHASE A PHANTOM.

SHANGHAI, Nov. 1.—Two Japanese warships were sighted off Wei Hai Wei on Sunday last, and the Chinese fleet, which was in the vicinity, was ordered to chase them. The chase was a phantom, and the Japanese warships were not seen again.

THE DISASTER CONFIRMED.

111 Passengers and 23 of the Crew of the Steamship Wairarapa Lost.

SYDNEY, Nov. 1.—Lloyd's agent here has confirmed the statement that 111 passengers and 23 of the crew of the Union Line steamship Wairarapa were drowned in the collision with the New Zealand ship, the Wairarapa.

Five Barren Boys Wounded.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 1.—Twenty boys, celebrating Halloween, halted in front of Mr. Haywood's house, and shot at him. The boys were wounded, and Mr. Haywood was not hurt.

Methodist Bishops Meet.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 1.—Bishops and prominent clergymen of the Methodist Episcopal Church met here to-day at the annual meeting of the General Conference of the church.

Wicks Wins for a Divorce.

CHICAGO, ILL., Nov. 1.—Mrs. Thomas Wicks, wife of the second vice-president of the Pullman Palace Car Company, has won a divorce from her husband. The divorce was granted by the court.

Naval Changes.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 1.—Commander J. A. Craig has been ordered to the Concord, relieving Commander C. H. Goodrich, attached and granted three months' leave. Lieutenant Commander J. A. Craig has been ordered to the Concord, relieving Commander C. H. Goodrich, attached and granted three months' leave.

Weather Forecast.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 1.—For Virginia: Fair, followed Friday evening by a shower of rain. For the rest of the South: Fair, followed Friday evening by a shower of rain. For the rest of the South: Fair, followed Friday evening by a shower of rain.